

District News

From Our Correspondents

KIRKCALDY

Mrs. Goshwoskyj returned home on Sunday after spending a week in Edmonton with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Wilson and family spent Saturday at Carman-gay with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Sr.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. K. Carnegie at the Vulcan hospital on January 9th, a baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Cutler of Barons recently purchased the farm of Mr. Zackley and are now residing in this district.

The Kirkcaldy Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Bert Maisey on Jan. 9 to make up a new program for 1947. There were eight present and the program was completed during the afternoon. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Todd, Jan. 23 when Mrs. Williams will give a paper on the "New Citizenship Act" and the roll call will be "Qualities of a Good Citizen." An agricultural short course sponsored by the Calgary Board of Trade will be held in the auditorium of the Hudson's Bay Co. on Jan. 23-24. This will be particularly interesting to farm women and everyone is invited to attend these lectures and demonstrations.

Interesting Meeting Reid Hill W.I.

The January meeting of the Reid Hill W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Pete McIntyre, Vulcan, on Thursday last, with 15 members and three visitors present. Mrs. Thomas, the new president, was in the chair, while Mrs. Munson occupied her new position of secretary. The meeting opened in the usual manner, with the singing of O'Canada, repeating the Creed and salute to the Flag.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Correspondence included a letter from Mrs. Clements, asking the branch to collect material on German women and the effect of the war on them. The material gathered to be made into a scrap-book, as a project to be presented at the conference, in June. Members will please bring all clippings they have been able to collect on the subject, to the next meeting.

Plans were made to invite Mrs. Clements to the April meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Mensinger. It was moved that the selection of a delegate to attend the district conference in Calgary, March 3rd and 4th be tabled until the next meeting. Any resolutions will please be handed to Mrs. Munson before the directors' meeting. A resolution was passed to be submitted to the conference to the effect the branch strongly supports the movement now being advanced by local bodies that the Provincial Government give serious consideration to the construction of a first class, hard surfaced highway between Calgary and Lethbridge, via Vulcan, in order to attract American tourists to our pleasure resorts.

Mrs. Walker gave a full report on the needs of the Rest Room and reported that the Town and Municipal Councils were recently approached to finance same, with the women of the district to retain supervision. No decision had yet been received from the councils. Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Sales were named to act on the Rest Room committee.

It was decided that the branch would again donate a sum toward prizes for the Public Speaking Project of the Reid Hill school.

C. W. Loose Heads Curling Club; Annual Banquet-Meeting Held

Two hundred and nineteen members of the Vulcan Curling Club and their wives were in attendance at the annual banquet in the I.O.O.F. hall on Friday evening. This event is known as the President versus Vice-President's dinner and ordinarily the losers entertain the winners and provide all requirements for the meal. However, the losers this year are anxious to thank the winners and their wives, who, because of so many shortages, donated freely. Thanks are also extended to the ladies who catered and provided such a delicious meal.

The invocation was given by Rev. O. H. Rollis and W. Loose was chairman for the evening. Club colors, curling rocks and brooms were used as decoration.

Following the dinner a business meeting was held at which the following officers were named for the coming year: President, C. W. Loose; vice-president, K. Elder; secretary, W. D. Allan. Ice committee consists of the following: C. J. Robinson, A. Fitzpatrick and Ralph Johnson. Door committee: W. D. Allan, D. McAfee, Roy Fulton. Executive: John Wolfe, C. J. Robinson, K. Elder, P. Weber and R. M. Patriquin.

It is believed that Vulcan has one of the largest curling clubs for its size in the province, there being 35 men's rinks and nine ladies' rinks.

John Deere Day Next Thursday

Sponsored by H. B. Ulrich, local John Deere dealer, there will be a free picture show in the I.O.O.F. Hall Thursday afternoon, Jan. 23. The feature will be Bob Burns in "The Windjammer" and a preview of what's new in John Deere tractors and farm equipment will be shown, as well as other interesting pictures.

Admission is by ticket only, and these can be secured from Mr. Ulrich.

To Re-organize Cub Movement

The Reid Hill Home and School Association will be asked to take charge of the project.

Mrs. Gordon Clayton was welcomed as a new guest, and she was also the lucky winner of the tea draw.

A dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Thomas. A birthday cake and small gift was presented to Mrs. Mensinger, as the only member present, with a birthday this month.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Opal Drummond, February 10th.

Col. J. L. Ralston represents the Maritimes in protesting railway freight increases. He is firmly opposed to the proposed flat rate boost, urging instead territorial adjustment.

At present only six stations chart Arctic weather, but there will be 16 such stations within 3 years. This will provide a high degree of accuracy in forecasts from the north. A northern sector of 500,000 square miles is called a "blind spot," and most of the most paralyzing storms come from that sector.

Gilbert McQueen Honored; Fifty Years an Oddfellow

Mr. Gilbert McQueen, a resident of Vulcan, Alta., since the spring of 1915, was honored by the members of Samarian Lodge No. 91, I.O.O.F., on December 26th, 1946, when he was presented with a Bible to commemorate his 50th anniversary as an Oddfellow.

Mr. E. G. McPherson, Past Grand Master of the Order in Alberta, made the presentation on behalf of the Lodge and spoke of "Dad" McQueen's long and active service as an Oddfellow. Bro. McQueen had served the lodge in capacity of Noble Grand and District Deputy Grand Master. He was always ready and willing to take part in the degree work of the Lodge and contributed a great deal. His life among the people of the district showed that he is a true Oddfellow and the example set by Bro. McQueen should be taken by all members of the Order.

Bro. McQueen joined the order in Manitoba by being initiated in Turtle Mountain Lodge at Deloraine, Manitoba, on August 11th, 1896. He served that lodge until he moved west to Davidson, Sask., in the winter of 1905-06, coming to Lethbridge, Alta., in 1907 and to Vulcan in 1915. In the year 1917, on April 17th, he transferred to Samarian Lodge where he has been active in the lodge work until the year 1945. Bro. McQueen's health is not of the best, and now at 80 years of age he is retired.

Other members of the Order, L. F. Dawson, P.G., and W. E. Roebuck, D.D.G.M., spoke of Bro. McQueen's work in the Lodge.

Bro. McQueen thanked the members for their kind thoughts and asked the lodge to accept the Bible he had been presented with, to be used in the Lodge.

Members also presented Bro. McQueen with a sweater as a little Christmas remembrance.

WINDSORS AT DANCE



Attractive dancing partners as they circled the floor at the Hotel Plaza New York city, are the Duke and Duchess of Windsor. The occasion was a benefit for disabled war veterans.

Grade 9 Students Start Co-op Store

As Part of their economics project, the students of Grade 9 at the local school have formed and are operating a co-operative store. Dealing in such articles as popcorn, candy, used comic books, etc. the store started operations Monday of this week and will be operated by the students in their own classroom every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Mrs. Blanche Collier, the Grade 9 teacher, is honorary president of the co-operative and Lionel Lucas is president. Other officers are: Alice Ginter, secretary-treasurer; Joan Buehler and John Thorpe are members of the board of directors, and Jean Dahl is store manager.

News From CHAMPION

Mr. and Mrs. George Hartung, accompanied by Mrs. Adam Schmidt of Champion and Mr. and Mrs. J. Schierman of Vulcan, were recent Calgary visitors, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hartung, Sr.

Mrs. M. Comulini has purchased the residence formerly owned by R. W. Greenway on 4th Ave. South in Lethbridge and will take possession April 1st.

Vern Green of Carman-gay visited for two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Davies before returning to continue his studies at the University of Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bjornson and Mr. and Mrs. J. Long entertained recently at the home of the former in honor of the 18th birthday anniversary of Jack and Bob, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Long. It was also the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Bjornson. About fifty guests were present and the evening was spent in playing games and contests and singing. At midnight a delicious supper was served by the hostesses.

Miss Audrey Maxwell was a recent visitor at Calgary, guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. P. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hopkins were recent Lethbridge business visitors for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Smith are the proud parents of a baby daughter, born recently at the Vulcan hospital.

Mrs. C. G. Miller is a Lethbridge visitor, the guest of her daughters.

Chas. Lucia of Lethbridge was a visitor this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Stout.

Wm. Christenson recently flew to Edmonton, where he spent a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Good and children returned this week after spending the past few weeks in Edmonton, guests of Mrs. Good's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nixon.

Mrs. O. B. Anderson of Lethbridge was a visitor at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. Bond and Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson this week. Mr. and Mrs. W. Keenan were Calgary visitors for a few days during the week.

John Long was a recent business visitor in Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sletto returned home Friday after visiting relatives in Lewiston, Idaho, Spokane and Palouse, Washington, since Christmas week.

Walter Kramer of Calgary, formerly of Champion, was a week-end visitor here.

Earl Smith has returned to the University of Utah, where he will continue his studies, after spending a few weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Christenson flew to Calgary on Friday to visit the latter's mother, Mrs. J. B. Jorgenson.

Prov. Government Will Rebuild Highway 23; To Start in Spring

Complete Rebuilding and Resurfacing Necessary From High River South

The rebuilding of Highway No. 23 from High River south is in the estimates of the Board of Highway Commissioners for the year 1947 and work on the highway will commence this spring. Confirmation of this information has been given The Advocate by Rev. Peter Dawson, M.L.A.

Neglected during the war years, the highway is in extremely poor condition and in bad weather is practically impassable in many places. The roadbed has sunk below the level of the adjoining fields and a complete rebuilding job will be necessary. The worst parts of the highway, such as north of Champion and between Champion and Carman-gay, will likely be attended to first. The decision as to any change of route necessary will be up to the engineers.

At the present time, bus schedules on Highway 23 are cancelled whenever it rains during the summer, and most private motorists travelling to Calgary go due west on the gravelled municipal road and then north on the hard surfaced road. The complete rebuilding and resurfacing of the highway is necessary if satisfactory bus and truck schedules and inter-town traffic are going to be maintained and the news that this work will be commenced in the spring will be greeted with satisfaction by residents of Vulcan, Champion and other towns on the highway.

Former Local Girl Wed at Calgary

BIETZ—HORN

Candles and Christmas tree lights glowing on bouquets of baby mums and ferns formed the setting at Jehovah Lutheran Church in Calgary for the double ring wedding ceremony uniting Lillian, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horn of Vulcan, and Mr. Harvey Bietz, son of Mr. J. Bietz and the late Mrs. Bietz of Jefferson, Rev. Ph. Unterschultz officiated.

To the strains of the wedding march, the bride entered the church on the arm of her brother-in-law, Mr. A. H. Mansell. She wore a cerise silk afternoon frock with peplum and black lace insert, a black sequined hat with matching black lace mitts, and carried a gardenia-covered prayer book.

Mrs. A. H. Mansell, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a pale blue silk afternoon frock, black sequined hat and black lace mitts, and carried a nosegay of roses and baby mums. The groom's attendant was Mr. Alvin Bietz.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the York Hotel, where a host of friends called to wish the newlyweds well. Rev. Ph. Unterschultz proposed the toast, which was ably responded to by the groom.

For their honeymoon trip to Banff, Innisfail and Cardston, the bride chose an aqua and fusia wool dress, grey top coat with mouton lamb trim and brown and fusia accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Bietz are residing in Calgary.

Town Council Session Notes

The regular meeting of the town council was held Monday evening, with all councillors except Elder and Rea present.

The financial statement for the year 1946 was read and passed. A first reading was given the water and sewer bylaws as amended.

The following dates were approved: Annual town meeting, Jan. 31; nomination day, Feb. 3; election day, Feb. 10; statutory meeting of the new council, Feb. 17.

C. H. Hoskyn was appointed returning officer for the town elections. Those members of the council whose terms will expire are Mayor W. D. Allan, and Councillors M. R. Morrison and Chester Rea.

C. W. May was appointed to make the general assessment for the year 1948.

J. L. Findlay was appointed acting secretary for a trial period of one month.

Council approved the setting up of a trust account (water and sewer) to equal five mills on the 1946 assessment.

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Stores To Close 9 p.m. Saturdays

An agreement has been made between the merchants of the town whereby all retail stores in Vulcan will close at 9 p.m. on Saturdays.

Farmers and townspeople are asked to note this earlier closing, which will be in effect until further notice.

High River Flyers Overwhelm Vulcan 16 to 8

High River 16—Vulcan 8

Playing a delayed Poothills League fixture, the High River Flyers went on a scoring spree last Saturday night at the foot-hills town when they defeated Vulcan by a 16-8 score.

The high-scoring game saw Vulcan's Marshall figure in five of his team's eight goals, while Wilkins collected seven points and Tupal six for the Flyers.

Vulcan fought uphill all the way, as High River led 6-2 at the end of the first and 11-4 at the end of the second period.

Lineups
High River: Butcher; Ralph Smith, Lindmark; Harde; Wilkins, Tupal, Cooper, Blair, Fisk, Milton, Farrar, Boyd, Vanwinckle.
Vulcan: Spaeth; Langell, Dann; Cranston; Murray, Marshall, Fisher, Atkinson, J. Lucas, W. Lucas, Thompson, Thorson.

Vulcan Summary
1st period: 1, Dann (Marshall); 2, W. Lucas (Marshall).
2nd period: 3, Fisher (Marshall); 4, Marshall.
3rd period: 5, Thompson; 6, Marshall; 7, W. Lucas; 8, Thorson (Johnston).
Officials: H. Matlock and R. Robinson.

I.O.O.F. Samaritan Lodge Installs New Slate Officers

Samaritan Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, met on Thursday, Jan. 9, and installed officers for the year 1947 as follows:

Immediate Past Grand, L. Chell; Noble Grand, D. D. McQueen; Vice Grand, Roy Deal; Treasurer, Roy Fulton; Financial Secretary, Ed. Roebuck; Recording Secretary, Charles Fulton; Chaplain, Norman Scotney; R.S.N.G., Peter Bowie; L.S.N.G., John Hunter; R.S.V.G., Ernest Bowie; L.S.V.G., Wm. Houlton; Inner Guard, Norman Soder; Outer Guard, Roy McIntyre; R.S.S., Les Ruark; L.S.S., Ed Arnold.

Ensign May Form Community Club

The regular meeting of the Ensign Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. S. Parker on Jan. 9, with ten members and three visitors present. It was decided at the meeting to give \$15 in aid of the United Sunday School.

A lengthy discussion took place as to whether or not the Aid should disband and become a Community Club. A special meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Carr on Thursday, Jan. 16, at 2:30 p.m. and it is hoped to have a good attendance of any ladies interested in forming a community club.

Ottawa, Vancouver and Halifax are cities suffering meat shortage temporarily.

Dick Cosgrave is appointed arena director of the Calgary Stampede, succeeding Jack Dillon.

James Byrnes has resigned as Secretary of State in the U.S.A. government and is succeeded by Gen. Marshall, former U.S. army chief of staff. Mr. Byrnes emphasized that it was ill health and no difference with President Truman that brought his resignation.

MINISTERS TRANSFERRED IN DOMINION CABINET SHIFT



J. L. Hsley



LOUIS ST. LAURENT



DOUGLAS ABBOTT

Finance Minister James L. Hsley becomes Justice Minister in the Dominion cabinet changes as Hon. Louis St. Laurent, who had been administering both the external affairs and justice had resigned the

latter to devote full time to matters of foreign concern to Canada. Defence Minister Douglas Abbott has been transferred to finance but will retain the joint army-navy defence post on a temporary basis.

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FIVE DOLLARS PLEASE

FROM the soaring heights of enthusiasm with which the Canadian Citizenship was acclaimed, people across the Dominion dropped with quite a thud, when there was a follow up announcement that citizenship papers would cost five dollars. This belated information left the public with the wry feeling that they had been "had." The time to have announced the five dollar stipulation was when the big build-up was under way prior to January 1. The timing of the announcement was a mistake, and leaves the unpleasant impression of deliberate suppression.

One of the highlights of the act is "Recognition of the status of British subjects. is shown in clauses which provide that all British subjects now in Canada are declared to be Canadian citizens. "That bears out the automatic status conferred by the Act. But a sentence is added "Certificates will be issued upon application." And now we find that the certificates cost five dollars for adults, and one dollar for children under 21.

Perhaps the citizens who have most reason for a feeling of deflation are those whose families have lived in Canada for generations. It can never be said that such people have received any special concessions nor attention from the government because of their seniority of residence. Nor should they, in a land that professes equality of opportunity. But it does seem ridiculous that the descendants of the people who brought this country into being should be required to "prove that they are Canadians and pay \$5 for all the red tape involved. There are probably several million people in Canada today, who

stem from families that braved an unknown land in the years from 1800 to 1870. Their children and children's children have been farmers, tradesmen, teachers, doctors, builders, parliamentarians, explorers. They have pushed back the frontiers, established the schools and the churches. The great public buildings, the transportation lines, every phase of legislative development, are indebted to their creative forward pressing minds and hands and to the taxes they have paid through the decades. The bodies of these forebears have mingled with the soil of Canada, the land they loved, the nation they created. Surely a simple declaration before a magistrate or an R.C.M.P. should be sufficient to establish the status of such people as Canadian citizens, good for recognition anywhere in the world. And this service might very reasonably be given without price by the parliament of their country.

Nor does there seem justification for imposing new expense on citizens who were naturalized under the old laws. They too, should be full fledged citizens under the new Act, and without a maze of affidavits and declarations.

In the case of future naturalization it is somewhat different. Application for citizenship is accompanied, or should be, by certain requirements and formalities to impress the new status upon the applicants. Certain basic knowledge of Canada, its government and loyalties should be required before anyone is admitted to citizenship. Special education for adults precedes or accompanies application, and ceremonies are planned to mark the occasion of admission to citizenship. With such continuity of procedure, the final fee of \$5 for citizenship papers does not seem very heavy imposition.

Perhaps those contemplating travel in far parts may find citizenship papers desirable, if they aren't too bulky. But fully 50% of Canadian citizens have little prospect of any foreign travel outside United States. Surely the time has come for simplification of border requirements leading to relatively free movement back and forth across the border as in the good old days when we were simple tourists from Canada.

In any event whether or not the government feels justified in tucking away a joker in the new Citizenship Act, the belated call for \$5 has dimmed that first, beautiful glow which swept over Canada round January 1.

Since the above article was written Ottawa has announced the reduction of the fee to \$1.00 with veterans getting their citizenship papers free.

Standing Crop Competition

The following are the scores on the standing crop competition of the High River Grain Club plots:

Florence Sutherland, High River, 95 1/2 %.
Wilson Sutherland, High River, 95 1/2 %.
Carl Riehs, High River, 91 %.
Wm. Riehs, High River, 91 %.
Chas. Rhodes, Brant, 90 %.
John A. Rhodes, Brant, 90 %.
Elsie McNiven, Vulcan, 89 %.
Arthur Young, Brant, 88 1/2 %.
Reuben E. Randle, High River, 84 %.
Frederick Randle, High River, 84 %.
Roy Miller, Blackie, 82 %.
Wm. Miller, Blackie, 82 %.
Don Morrison, High River, 81 %.
Glen Morrison, High River, 81 %.
Geo. Vickery, Mazaepa, 80 1/2 %.
Dwayne Short, High River, 80 %.
Murray Short, High River, 80 %.
Ken Taylor, High River, 78 %.
Mary Gingrich, Mazaepa, 73 %.
Jack E. Rhodes, Brant, 73 %.
Keith Farries, High River, 70 %.
Lewis Callahan, High River, 68 %.
Florence Hicks, Cayley, 65 %.
John Hicks, Cayley, 65 %.
Eugene Wakeford, Mazaepa, 64 %.
Steve Olexon, High River, 60 %.
Everett Pryor, High River, 58 %.
Gerald Herriman, High River, 57 %.
LaVerne Herriman, High River, 57 %.

NICKELS WORTH OF NOTHING

Nanton News
Jim Dick found a nickel in his pants cuff the other day and decided to spend it in riotous living. Well, the nickel wouldn't buy a package of gum or a chocolate bar or a cigar. It was too cold for an ice cream cone even if Pop Caspell had any ice cream. Peashooters cost nine cents. Peashooters cost cents. All-day suckers just weren't to be had. We met Jim on his way home, moodily flipping his nickel and muttering to himself. "What's the matter, Jim, old friend," we said cheerily. "What this country needs is not a good nickel cigar or nickel chocolate bar or a nickel peashooter, but a nickel that will buy a nickel's worth of stuff," said Jim and tossed the nickel at us contemptuously.

CHURCH NOTES

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Vulcan Pastoral Charge
Otto H. Rollis, Minister

Sunday, January 19—
11 a.m. Unveiling of the plaque and dedication of the organ as a memorial to those who were killed in World War 2. "Are we worthy their sacrifice?"
Sunday School, beginners and primary at 12:15 noon, all others meet with the church service.
7:00 p.m. Organ recital, 7:15 Song Service, 7:30, Evening Worship: theme, "The Life-giving Words of Jesus."

Monday, Jan. 20th, 8:00 p.m.
Annual congregational meeting—reports and elections. Social hour to follow.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible School 10:30 a.m. Bring the children and learn what the Bible offers you in life.
Morning Service 11:30 a.m. Every Christian is invited to attend this fellowship around the Lord's table. The message, "The Measurement of Justice."
Evening Preaching Service 7:30. A real gospel song service and message on "Dirty Clothes and Foreign Gods."
Young People's Meeting Sunday evening at 8:30. Midweek meeting at 7:30 Wednesday evening.

ANGELICAN CHURCH

St. Aldhelm's, Vulcan—
2nd and 4th Sundays: 11 a.m., Holy Communion. Every Sunday: 7:30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon. Every Sunday at 12:15, Sunday School.

There will be no evening service at Vulcan on the third Sunday during the winter months.
Outside Points—
1st Sunday: St. John's, Lomond, 3 p.m.
3rd Sunday: Emmanuel, Carman, 3 p.m.
4th Sunday: Union Jack School, 2:30 p.m.
Other services as announced.

The annual meeting of St. Aldhelm's Church will be held on Sunday, Jan. 26, at 8:30 p.m., after the evening service.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

(20 miles S.E. of Vulcan)
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:15 a.m. Prayer Meeting and Evangelical Youth Fellowship alternate each Sunday at 1 p.m. Sunday School and E.Y.F. meetings are conducted entirely in the English language.

IN MEMORIAM

FERGUSON—In loving memory of Roy Ferguson, who passed away, Jan. 16th, 1935.
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FOR SALE—To clean up an estate—101 Ranch in the Reid Hill district. One section of land, full set of good buildings that cost more than we are asking for the ranch. Lots of trees. This is an ideal place for any person interested in having a side line of stock. A grand setup for raising purebred stock, as there are separate fenced pastures, each with a supply of water. Two dugouts, two wells and windmills and tanks serve the various pastures. 365 acres cultivated, all of which is excellent wheat land. 275 acres good pasture, of which considerable could be broken. A pasture lease of 54 acres and a road allowance lease of 8 acres goes with setup. Another 320 acres of cultivated land adjacent to the ranch can be rented. Purchase price \$17,000. Terms: \$12,000 cash, terms to be arranged on balance with interest at 5% per annum.—Ross Walker, phone 33; Roy Walker, phone 105, Vulcan. 23-tfc

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IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our father, Thomas Love, who passed away January 12, 1946. "Deep in our hearts lies a picture of one whom we love dearly. He will live in our hearts always."—Ever remembered by the family and friends.

MARKET DAY SALE

The Regular Monthly Market Day Sale will be held in High River, Saturday, Jan. 25th, 1947. Specializing in livestock, implements, furniture, odds and ends. 100 corral poles. J. Allen Baker, Auctioneer, Phone 1704; C. C. Kellam, Clerk, Phone 175, High River. 23-1c

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SUSAN MCINTYRE, late of Ensign, Alberta, Widow, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Susan McIntyre, who died on the 13th day of October A.D. 1946, are required to file with the undersigned Executor of her estate by the 14th day of February, 1947, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them and that after that date the Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to their knowledge.

DATED at Vulcan, Alberta, this 27th day of December, A.D. 1946.
J. M. JAMISON,
Solicitor for the Executor,
Frederick Ernest Bennett,
Vulcan, Alberta.

Pertinent Topics

Discussed by H.C.

In recent municipal elections in many parts of Canada the L.P. and C.C.F. parties suffered setbacks. C.C.F. leaders have had doubts lately of the wisdom of presenting party slates in municipal elections and it is probable they will discourage the practice henceforth. L. P. (Communist) candidates polled as many votes as in other years, yet most of them lost out because more adverse votes came out because of their activities.

In this the Hon. Vincent Massey must be given credit for an assist when he warned Canadians "that every Communist must be regarded as a foreign agent regardless of his nominal allegiance." The fact that they polled as many votes as usual shows that his warning was wasted on them and their fellow-travellers, nor were they influenced in the least by the evidence presented against Soviet agents in the recent espionage trials.

Because some one shot an editor in Peru, the Peruvian Ministry has resigned. An ex-service man says he had a Canadian editor in mind and was toying with the idea, but "hang it! thought I, 'if I did, what assurance have I that the Canadian government would follow the Peruvian example?'"

President Truman in his message to Congress proved by his silence on the issue that his advice to Britain to admit a hundred thousand Jews into Palestine was motivated by the political exigencies at home. The mid-term elections were coming on in two months and the Jewish vote in New York state and city was of capital importance to his party. Governor Dewey made a higher bid and won the prize, and hence the President is not interested enough in the plight of distressed Jews and displaced persons in Europe to mention them to Congress where his counsel should be more acceptable than his gratuitous advice to the United Kingdom.

In less than two years from now when the Presidential elec-

tions come on, his sympathy for the distressed may be revived but just at the moment he does not appear to have considered it worth while harassing and embarrassing a friendly government when New York Jews showed so little appreciation of his efforts in their behalf three months ago.

Field Marshal Montgomery's gift to his Russian host was a case of Scotch—the past tense is used advisedly. Monty is a teetotaler himself but strange things take place behind the curtain, and Russian protocol and hospitality make demands that call for acquiescence. No Irish gentleman would wish to offer his host an affront. A return visit is scheduled, and what is Monty to do if the visiting General brings him a case of vodka. Like another Irishman in similar case he will say "General, I have not known you long enough to refuse."

An Irish professor in the United States estimates that there are more Irish in America than in Ireland. And they are more Irish too, so they are.

Wasn't it one of their ancestors of whom, immediately after his arrival in New York, it was written:

There came to our shores a poor exile of Erin.
The dew on his mantle was heavy and chill.
Ere the ship he arrived in was quite out of hearin'
He was Alderman Mike introducing a Bill.

He not only pioneered in legislation but went extensively into administration of the laws he passed. On the way over here on an immigrant ship he knew his destination and divined his destiny—divined the destiny of other immigrants as well. It was told at the time that he quarrelled on board ship with a German immigrant. One word led to another. "I'll get avin wid ye," he threatened. "when we get to New York." The German inquired "How will you get efen mit me?" "I'll arrest ye for selling beer after hours."

When he first saw a steam shovel at work it made him see red. "Ye may puff and ye can snort but, he hivins, there's won'ting ye can't do—ye can't vote" he thundered. Early, he saw the use that could be made of that little scrap of paper called the ballot and the immense power it could have when organized and marshalled. With his native genius for organizing and marshalling he built up electoral machines in great American cities that influenced national politics not only in America but in Europe. Fifty years ago Max O'Rell said he governed other countries but not his own. Today he governs his own as well.

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Highlights of the World During Year of 1946

On the world front in 1946 all eyes were focussed on the the Peace Conference, developments in respect to the atomic bomb, and the United Nations conference. There were indications toward the end of the year that international difficulties might clear, but it was a year of food scarcity in many nations, and of international distrust.

January

First meeting of United Nations Assembly held in London. Steel strike in U.S.A. involves 750,000 workers. Canada made member of U.N. commission on atomic control. DeGaulle resigns as provisional president of France.

February

Yugoslavia and Hungary become republics. The Bank of England is nationalized. On Feb. 15 the U.S. steel strike is settled. The Pope appoints 22 cardinals, including Archbishop McGugan of Toronto. Bevin announces offer of 50 years friendship pact to Soviet.

March

Spaak forms Belgian Socialist cabinet. General Motors strike at Detroit settled. Spaak resigns a Belgian premier. U.N. Council meets in America March 25.

April

Tidal waves strike Honolulu and California. 400,000 U.S. soft coal miners strike. Russia and Iran reach agreement. 50,000 government employees in Palestine strike. International court of justice formed. Big four foreign ministers start conference in Paris.

May

On May 8 first anniversary of V E day. U.S. Senate approves loan to Britain of almost four billion. Britain proposes independent union of all India. Truman seizes U.S. railway system. U.S. soft coal mines seized by gov't and U.S. 59-day soft coal strike settled. Britain's national insurance bill passes third reading.

June

First free election in Italy. King Humbert of Italy exiled to Portugal. All India congress rejects independence of proposals. Bikini in south Pacific scene of atomic bomb tests. Bread is rationed in Britain. American price control board expires June 30.

July

Big Four agree to internationalizing Trieste. Philippines is declared a republic. Nehru heads India Congress. Paris Peace conference opens.

August

Truman turns atomic energy control over to civilian commission. Russia submits to Turkey 5-point proposal for Dardanelles control. Palestine blockaded against uncertified Jewish entry. Calcutta riots. Yugoslavia troops on Greek border. Japanese earthquake kills 1100, renders many homeless. Airlines crash in China. Foot riots flaring in Rome. Allies outlaw war weapons in Germany.

September

Greeks vote for return of King. Henry Wallace resigns as U.S. secretary of commerce. Labor returned in Australia.

October

Goering and others sentenced to death at Nuernberg. Goering suicides; 10 convicted Nazis hang.

November

Four power foreign ministers confer in New York. Truman removes price ceilings and wage restrictions. U.S. Federal court issues restraining order on John L. Lewis. 400,000 soft coal miners in U.S. on strike. Labor gov't returned in New Zealand. Palestine Supreme Court upholds British ban on 4000 Jewish immigrants.

December

Britain and U.S. sign agreements for economic fusion of German occupied zones. John L. Lewis found guilty of contempt in calling strike, and fined. No success in British conferences with India. 116 die in hotel fire at Atlanta. Lewis orders U.S. miners back to work. Rockefeller donates site for permanent U.N. site in New York. U.N. General Assembly adopts disarmament resolution. Truman pledges aid to China. British gov't takes control of British farms.

"I Remember"

For all those who enjoy dipping into early western history, a book by the late Major-General W. A. Griesbach is highly recommended. It is aptly named "I Remember," and though it deals of general matters and incidents from the angle of personal experience and observation, every subject is treated objectively. A mellowness and a fine humor flow through the book, though the writer is quite candid in his comments on some of the outstanding western personalities. Much of his material naturally comes from his early life in western military centres, and from Edmonton which had been his home city for most of his lifetime.

The charm of the book lies in the natural humor which enlivens the telling. Early days in Edmonton

were much the same as early days in other cities and towns of the west. But the author tells delightful yarns of the hostilities, alarms and crises of those by-gone years. The memories of all oldtimers will be jogged by the incidents which are recalled.

It is sad to think that Major General Griesbach did not live to see his book in published form. But the manuscript received his final approval before he died. He has passed on to Albertans a valuable contribution to early history.

The Financial Post in its book review has this to say:

"The pioneer west of 60 years ago, lives again in the pages of these salty reminiscences, whose author was born in a Hudson's Bay Fort at Qu'Appelle, and who deeply resented being classed as 'a child' during the rebellion of 1885, when he attained the mature age of seven years. The late William Antrobus Griesbach played more roles in his lifetime than the seven which Shakespeare allotted to the average man—bank clerk, athlete, lawyer, volunteer fireman, editor, war correspondent, soldier in three wars, politician (candidate for the Alberta legislature at 27, 'boy mayor' of Edmonton at 29, member of Parliament at 39, Senator at 43). His highly readable memoirs are confined largely to his early life in the West, and to his war service in South Africa."

Over at Burns Lake, B.C., a 72-year-old rancher swallowed his teeth when his team bolted. Not long ago a pack rat stole his teeth one night, but he got them back. And six years ago they fell out of his mouth as he leaned over the Skeena ferry boat rail. But this time he thinks he'd rather get along without them. They're too much worry.

CANADIAN LEGION B.E.S.L.



VULCAN BRANCH NO. 21

The

Annual General Meeting

of members will be held in the Club rooms on
Wednesday, Jan. 22nd, 1947, at 8:30 p.m.

Business:

Auditor's Report
Election of Officers and Executive Committee
Any other business that may properly be brought before the meeting.

C. H. Hoskyn, Secretary



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Celebrating his hundredth birthday anniversary, William Henry Johnston declared that drinking or smoking in moderation never did him or anyone else any harm, but the most ardent and active prohibitionists around here know better although they never smoked, or tasted a nip in their lives and haven't reached the century mark.

One argument presented in urging increased freight rates, dealt with the bigger wage bill of the C.P.R. in 1947. But spokesmen for western provinces said the greatest concentration of railway wage earners was in central Canada, and the higher cost of wages should not be smeared over the western provinces. The railway refuses to state how much of wage increases are paid in the Maritimes, the west, and Central Canada.

Vulcan School District No. 1902

Notice of Annual Meeting of Ratepayers

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of Electors and Ratepayers of the Vulcan School District No. 1902, will be held in the basement of the

Brick School
on

Friday, Jan. 24, 1947

at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering the Auditor's report of the finances of the district for the year ending December 31st, 1946, and for such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

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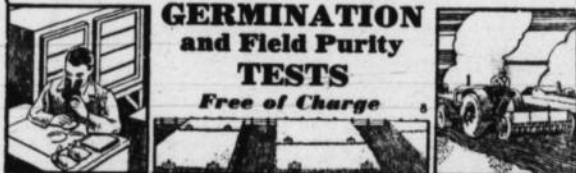
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Items From Bob Edwards' Inimitable "Eye Opener"

In the Eye Opener of May 16, 1905, Bob Edwards views with horror the advancing prices of the settlers' necessities. He gives a little inside dope on his alleged attempt at suicide, proclaiming the charge as all nonsense. Casting his eyes northward he sees a wonderful future if the Grand Trunk runs a branch line up to the Arctic, thus enabling ready movement of whales from Eskimo-land to Edmonton, to help real estate men spout. He thinks Alberta will soon be famed for its marine riches with whales at Edmonton, sharks at Calgary and lobsters at Okotoks. He advises a man starting an incubator-chicken ranch that hens only suckle their own young, not the castoffs from incubators.

Incidental Items

After a sensational election at Cochrane, James Quigley has been elected Mayor of the town. The Mayor's office will be located in front of the Murphy house bar till further notice.

In the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening at 7.30 the well-known Patagonian missionary, John Moseley, will lecture on the Canadian Conservative party as viewed by the cannibals of South Africa.

On Friday the funeral of Albert Groggins, the late lamented bartender at the Never-Never House, will be held from our popular undertaking parlors. The cortege will start at 2 p.m. The body will be received at the cemetery by a large gathering of his former customers who have taken up permanent residence there. Joe's orchestra will accompany the remnants to the grave, playing a few suitable and lively requiems to show their feelings.

This is getting to be a great country. Owing to increased price of labor, fresh fruit in B.C. will be advanced in price one-third next season.

Owing to the scarcity of log-lumber will be so dear as to be prohibitive, a steady advance over present ghastly prices.

Owing to our "inferior cattle" (and other reasons not for publication) range cattle in Chicago are double what they are in Canada.

Owing to the new tax on cane, sugar has advanced 10%.

Owing to the glorious Federation of Labor, half the people are nearly frozen to death through lack of coal.

Owing to lack of competition you can get up at midnight to catch a train which comes along 12 hours later, the repeated delays being handed out to the public by means of a blackboard in flocks of two hours at a time.

There is great art in expressing things nicely. The other day the prisoner at the bar was being sentenced. "You have a pleasant home and a bright fireside with happy children sitting round haven't you?" the judge asked. The prisoner agreed eagerly. "Yes sir." "Well," said the judge, "if you, happy children continue to sit round the fireside waiting for you, they will sit there for the next thirty days."

Almost Called For

Your beloved editor of the Eye Opener almost died of poisoning this week. We swallowed a lovely little tablet of corrosive sublimate in mistake for our own simple remedy for sleepless nights, thereby almost entering into eternal sleep. The fight was hammer and tongs, with only the twinkle of an eyelash between us and the honeyard. The only thing that saved us was that we took seven times the normal killing dose of sublimate. Some of the disappointed yaps around town claimed that we tried to poison ourselves. But we'd have tried it an easier way if we really meant it.

Opening Up The North

We understand that when the Grand Trunk reaches the Peace River country, a branch line will be run to the Arctic circle, portalling the Mackenzie river. This will give a fairly straight shoot from the Arctic to the city of Edmonton. The main object will be to ship whales from the north to Edmonton, where there are as yet no whales, and to haul back hay and oats to the Eskimos, many of whom run large herds of walrus. The whales will be watered on the way down at Great Slave lake, which will be liberally stocked with herring and other fish for stock feeding. What between whales at Edmonton, sharks at Calgary, lobsters at Okotoks and suckers everywhere else, Alberta bids fair to become a marine province of great distinction. The whales will be utilized by real estate men at Edmonton to help them spout.

A Big Ranch Project

An English gentleman is about to start a chicken ranch on the outskirts of Calgary. It will be located on the site of the famous Belgian hare ranch that went up the spout not long ago. A chicken ranch is the best possible proposition on paper, and the rapid multiplying of birds from one setting runs into millions. The number of chickens this gentleman expects to have in a couple of years will

knock the market groggy. The incubator which he plans to use will incubate a chicken in one night. There may not be many feathers but the chick will be there in its essentials. We trust that this great industrialist realizes that the hens do not give milk to young chickens which are born in incubators. They only suck their own hatching. And quite right too. Why should they concern themselves over chicks hatching out of incubators? It does take an Englishman to start out on these bold ventures.

Pertinent Topics

Discussed by H.C.

A quarter century ago, as Mr. Moore points out, Sidney Webb, now Lord Passfield, and his wife, who drafted a constitution for British Socialists said that "Over a large part of Europe definitely Socialist administrations are now in office." Twelve years ago, Hon. Hugh Dalton, now Chancellor of the Exchequer, spoke highly of the Socialist experiment in Italy and which he called the more ambitious Socialist experiment in Russia.

Well, the experiments with socialism in Europe are not yet over, but survey the ruin already created there! To be successful, socialism must have power, and unrestricted power at that, for it must compel the many to obey the dictates of the few. "Once entrenched, the socialist states planned for war," says Mr. Moore whose reflections, as the title of his book indicates, are sober, if not somber. "Our days are grey," he concludes, "not only in the spectacle of Europe after more than two decades of Socialist administration; our days are grey because, in the aftermath of a Socialist-engendered war, Socialist parties struggle for office in the New World with the identical strategy and tactics that made the Old World what it is today."

"Groups have never thirsted after truth. They demand illusions, and cannot do without them. They constantly give what is unreal precedence over what is real; they are almost as strongly influenced by what is untrue as by what is true. They have an evident tendency not to distinguish between the two."



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Sunday, Jan. 26th—
99 SERVICE STATION

Drifts 20 feet high that have piled up during the winter in the Fincher Creek area have brought serious conditions of isolation.

The new Atomic Energy Commission of U.S.A. responsible for military and industrial development will cost about 500 millions.

Hon. J. G. Gardiner, says that 12,000,000 more people are immediately needed to settle in Canada, mostly west of the Great Lakes.

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John L. Robinson

New Deal For Alberta Forests

Alberta and federal governments have agreed on a long range plan of forestry and water conservation. This involves conservation measures along the eastern slopes of the Rockies, where the streams which bring life to the prairies have their source. Or, to get closer to home, it will be effective along the streams which feed the Highwood and other mountain rivers.

Under the agreement the Dominion government will spend \$6,500,000 over a 5-year period to restore the eastern slopes of the Rockies, and the Alberta and Dominion governments share equally in the cost of maintenance which will be about \$250,000 a year.

This new agreement was announced by Robson Black of Montreal, president of the Canadian Forestry Association, in a speech at Lethbridge.

Any reclamation program in the watershed of the mountains affects all the prairies to Hudson Bay. The new irrigation projects, started or in prospect, also direct attention to the necessity of conservation.

During a recent tour in Europe, Mr. Black observed how carefully forest lands and rivers were protected and conserved in Switzerland and the Scandinavian countries. It is accepted that forests are essential for regular water-flow and land fertility. Scandinavian countries have been levying toll on their forests for centuries, but through technical application of reforestation, they have left those forests much richer than they were originally. It is accepted in these countries that people can use a good earth and a good forest, and yet leave it a better earth and a better forest. In Sweden, Norway and Finland the annual average forest loss by fire is reduced to 3000 acres a year, while by contrast devastation by fire in Canada is about 2,500,000 acres a year of timberland.

Canada has allowed forest fires to burn down four times as much timber as has been cut down. In Alberta watersheds fire has destroyed 30,000 acres of timber a year.

Alberta has 90,000 square miles of timberland, 90% of which is owned by the province.

Mr. Black gave examples of what is realized by communities overseas that own their own forests. He eliminated all municipal tax by sale of over-age timber. About 60 years ago the parish sold the average timber for 3 1/2 million dollars and the interests from this takes care of all municipal improvements.

The speaker advised Alberta to heed the warning of other countries in preserving the balance of forest water and land. Many countries that are now deserts had once been as rich in natural resources as Alberta, but they sacrificed the proper balance of their resources. Mesopotamia invented irrigation, but now has no water. Palestine stripped its hills of woodland cover and has reaped erosion. Syria, Libya and Greece were once rich like Alberta, but they saw water, forests and soils as only fifth rate public questions.

Mr. Black warned that the task of conserving basic resources must be tackled as the whole future prosperity depends on this. He said the planning would be a real test of government intelligence, and that it will also test the Alberta citizens' willingness to stop once and for all, the slash-and-burn exploitation of the country's resources.

Hon. N. E. Tanner, provincial minister of lands and mines, gave Mr. Black the authorization to make the first public announcement of the conservation agreement between Ottawa and the Alberta government.

Champion News

(Continued from Front Page)

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Coe spent a few days visiting friends in Calgary during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson were Lethbridge visitors on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Davies were Lethbridge visitors on Monday.

Miss Linda Cemulini left on Friday for Lethbridge, where she will take up residence.

Miss Joyce Orcutt of Calgary is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Orcutt, for a week.

Mrs. Fred Clever was a Lethbridge visitor recently.

Mrs. Jack Sanderson was a patient for a few days in the Vulcan hospital.

Percy Jackson was a business visitor at Lethbridge this week.

Friends will be sorry to learn that Mrs. Gordon Stewart is a patient in the Carmangay hospital.

Mrs. M. Cemulini left this week for Vancouver, B.C., where she will holiday for two months. Miss Gloria Cemulini of Calgary will accompany her mother.

Mrs. L. C. Lackey, who has been operating the "Coffee Shop" has moved to the Savoy Hotel, where

MEADOWLARK BREAKS TRAIL

You can always depend on Gladys Ridge for good news. Although the Ridge is buried in snow, a meadowlark has mused in and has staked a claim at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Starke. This early explorer is a lone adventurer. He arrived on January 2, and has been living on the fat of the land ever since—bread crumbs and such. Anyway he is making himself quite at home, and may weather through till spring.

In selecting Gladys Ridge for an early spring start he shows excellent judgment. Everyone knows that spring breaks sooner on the Ridge than anywhere else. Here's hoping he has plenty to sing about in the coming weeks, and that no ill befalls this hardy little songster.

NEWS OF INTEREST

British manufacturers are reported to be perfecting an air-conditioned mattress, cool in summer, warm in winter, requiring no sheets and blankets for complete comfort.

After May 1 landlords of homes and apartments may be permitted to raise rent by 5% after May 1.

A. L. Smith, M.P. of Calgary, in a C.B.C. broadcast, proposed that the Liberal party should divide up with leftist Liberals joining the C.C.F. and rightist Liberals joining up with Progressive Conservatives. His proposals for reorganizing the Liberal party were not taken seriously by party heads.

Britain has begun its eighth year of food rationing with only 2 oz. of bacon compared with 4 oz. weekly in 1940. Sugar also is reduced from 12 oz. a week in 1940 to 8 oz. in 1947. Butter is reduced but margarine is increased by one ounce.

Premier Hart of B.C., says his province will benefit by more than \$ million under the new financial agreement with the federal government. He said the province would have total revenues of 23,799,000 under the agreement compared with 15 million now. The most important advantage is no double taxation and he said the considerations for B.C. are available to all.

she is in charge of the dining room and lunch counter.

Mr. and Mrs. David Causey were recent Lethbridge visitors for a few days, guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Causey.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm G. Taylor and infant daughter, Deanne, arrived from California this week and are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Taylor, en route to Toronto. Mr. Taylor, who has been taking post graduate work towards his doctor's degree in political science at the University of California in Berkeley, has accepted an appointment to the faculty of the University of Toronto. Mrs. Taylor will visit with her mother, Mrs. V. Fowler, in Taber, before joining her husband in the east.

Mrs. L. Latiff and Mrs. M. Jopling visited in Calgary for a few days this week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Latiff.

A FAMILIAR NAME

"JESUS" is a very familiar name throughout the world, and though it has been nearly 2000 years since He ascended into heaven, yet it is still used more than any other name on earth. Of the 2,796 languages and dialects, His name and a history of Him appears in 1,068 of them and it is very seldom that a year goes by without it being translated into at least three or four more.

There are but a few places in the modern world and but a few more in the heathen world where the name "Jesus" is not recognized when it is spoken, and most people who recognize the name have a common understanding of who He was and why He came into this world.

Practically every individual who knows the name uses it—some sacredly—others profanely. Of those who use it profanely, the majority do so in ignorance and carelessness. They are ignorant or they do not take time to think of what they are doing with the name of the "Ruler of the Kings of the Earth," else they would not use it so. The rest of those who use it profanely do so because they know the truth of Him who bears the name but they do not want to acknowledge Him as their Lord, and to cover up their own conviction and sear their conscience they defy Him by misusing His name.

Whatever the attitude of an individual to this name, it still remains that "in the name of Jesus, EVERY knee shall bow and every tongue shall confess that Jesus is the Christ to the glory of God the Father."

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Headquarters reports that the sale of Christmas seals in Alberta has reached a total of \$85,700 at the beginning of this week. This is \$44,000 ahead of the same date last year. Books are being kept open until the \$100,000 objective is reached.

Before the Polish Minister to Canada can expect government help in finding the missing Polish art treasures in this country, he will have to show legal proof that the treasures belong to the Polish government.

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Brief Items of Local Interest

Elks' Winter Circus — Friday, Jan. 31st.

Mrs. John Hanna is visiting relatives at Saskatoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lebeau of Calgary were recent visitors here.

Mrs. Pete Bowie is spending several days in Calgary.

Dr. G. M. Carson and L.L. Walker were week-end visitors to Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Army were Calgary visitors for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Myers have returned from a week's visit in Calgary.

Dr. and Mrs. David Nicol are expected back this week from a short vacation spent in Edmonton.

Emil Olsen of Morrison & Olsen has returned from an extended trip to Minnesota.

Mrs. C. D. Miller is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Boyd Whitehead, at Claresholm this week.

Miss Eileen Spear of Calgary was a week-end visitor at her home in the district.

Mrs. W. A. Shields of Coleman is a guest this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Morrison.

Several local rinks are participating in the open bonspiel which is being held at Champion this week.

Harold Bride has recently purchased the Ed. Arnold house and will shortly move his family into it.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Robinson and family have moved into the McQueen house, recently occupied by the John Jamison family.

Mrs. Walker Sr. is taking up residence this week in the Frizzell house, which she recently purchased.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bus Carnegie are congratulating them on the recent birth of a daughter, in the local hospital.

Canvassing of the district and town for donations to the Lions Auction sale on Feb. 8th is now under way and a good response is being obtained.

Mrs. C. Pickard arrived Sunday morning from Poplar Point, Manitoba, and will visit for a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Merle Smith.

Stanley Martin has returned from an extended visit at Kelowna B.C. and is at present a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Middleton.

R. M. Patriquin, M. R. Morrison and J. M. Jamison were Vulcan representatives at the annual meeting of the Lethbridge Board of Trade on Wednesday.

There will be a big array of talent at the Elks' big annual winter circus, to be held in the arena on Friday evening, Jan. 31st. It will be a real show and for a good cause, so make a date now.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Calvert of Winnipeg are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby boy, Saturday, Jan. 11th. Mrs. Calvert is the former Miss Molly Craig of Vulcan.

The school orchestra had its first practice on Wed., Jan. 8 under the leadership of John Hunter. It will continue to hold weekly practices on Saturday nights and in the near future will put on a musical concert. Any boy or girl in the district who has an instrument and can read music can join this orchestra. Just leave word with Mr. Hunter.

What can you give to the Lions' big auction sale on Saturday, Feb. 8th? Donations of anything and everything can be taken to C. M. Allen's sale lot at any time.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jensen and family have recently taken up residence in Vulcan. Mrs. Jensen is the former Kay Monkman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berg and small daughter have returned to their home at Banff after a visit at the home of Mrs. Berg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McIver.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hansell left on Monday evening to accompany Mrs. Hansell Sr., to Vancouver, B. C., where she will make her home. She has recently arrived in this country from England.

The death occurred in Regina, Sask., Dec. 25th of Albert Howard Tharle, aged 73 years. Although Mr. Tharle was residing at Regina at the time of his death he was a well known old timer of this district.

Owing to road conditions, K. Roy McLean was unable to get here this week. He will make his regular trip on Monday, Feb. 10th, and will be at the King Drug Store from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Consult Mr. McLean at city office, 1015 Southam Building, daily except Monday.

There were splendid attendances at each of the services of the meetings of the "Week of Prayer" held in various Protestant churches in Vulcan. Timely messages were given and the interdenominational fellowship increased through the week.

The dedication of the memorial organ and unveiling of the plaque in memory of the ten young men of the congregation who were killed in World War 2 will take place at a special service to be held in the Vulcan United Church on Sunday, Jan. 19, at 11 a.m.

A short term United Church Bible School will be held at Macleod, Feb. 10th to 24th and will be open to those over sixteen years of age who desire more training in the fields of the Bible, doctrine, evangelism, music and leadership technique. Interested persons may inquire of Rev. O. H. Rollis, Vulcan, for further particulars.

Good Deeds W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Percy Clark on Jan. 5. Thirteen members and one visitor were present. Some interesting clippings on the subject of Italian women were read by Mrs. H. McMasters and a dainty lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. R.S. Irwin, Mrs. C. H. Andrews and Mrs. Percy Clark.

Following a long period of mild weather, a change set in over the week-end. Winds and light snow combined to thoroughly block the roads once more and Monday night the temperature dropped to several degrees below zero. The blocked roads forced cancellation of the Claresholm-Vulcan hockey game at the local arena.

Last week the students of the Vulcan School, from Grade 4 to 12, assembled in the I.O.O.F. hall to hear Rev. Peter Dawson, M.L.A., Champion, speak on "The Functions of the Legislature." Rev. Dawson, who is the Speaker of the Alberta Legislative Assembly, illustrated his talk with colored slides and the students gained much knowledge of an informative and instructive nature.

Of much interest here is the following item, which appeared in a Calgary newspaper one day last week. "A reunion of all R.C.A.F. ex-service men who served at No. 19 S.F.T.S. Vulcan, Alberta, is being planned for sometime this month. This gathering is to be an annual affair and a good turnout is expected for the first meeting. All former "Vultures Guitares" who wish to attend must inform Jack Reilly, 1164-90th St., Edmonton, by mail."

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